

Committee: Streets

Project Title: Bike Lane on Bernal to access Coyote Creek Trail

Cost: \$80K

Location: Bernal Rd, from Via Serena to Coyote Creek Trail

Short Description: A bike lane would make it safer for residents to ride their bicycles with their children **from their homes** to the Coyote Creek Trail System.

Long Description: Many people have commented that they do not feel safe riding their bicycles from home, especially with their children, to the well-developed Coyote Creek Trail System, because of the lack of a bicycle lane on Bernal Ave, as well as the complicating factor of automobiles needing to cross the path of bicyclists at the onramps and offramps for both the 85 and 101 freeways.

This proposal would extend the clearly demarcated bicycle lane on Bernal Rd, (which currently ends at Via Serena in the northbound direction), to Eden Park Place. (the road directly adjacent to the Coyote Creek Trail)
The bike lane would be added in both directions.

It would also add **high visibility green striping** to areas where cars have to cross the bicycle lane (the onramps and offramps) to make motorists aware of the normal path of bicyclists.

The cost of this project covers planning, surveying, geometrically laying out the design, road striping, as well as issues dealing with Caltrans.

Lastly, **the cost is an estimate, and may be \$30k LESS** than what was estimated here, but this depends on what Caltrans says about the city's design plans, and will not be known until the plans are formulated and submitted to Caltrans.

